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REPLY TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 13, 2009

Sir:

This Reply is responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed July 13, 2009, having a one-month extended period for reply set to expire on November 13, 2009. Included herewith is payment of the necessary fee for a one-month extension of time to file a reply. Please accept the payment of this fee as Applicants' petition for the same. If any additional fees are necessary, the Office is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1943.

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